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## The Presidential Beehive. Humorously Depicted in Next Sunday's Colored Cover

POLITICAL JOBS  
FOR SALE CHEAP.J. W. Schrader Says He Paid  
Kriete Meyer to Get Him a Job.

## WANTED TO BE A FIREMAN.

Chief Swingley's Integrity Is Involved  
and He Will Demand a Full  
Investigation.If anyone should tell this story in New  
York, people wouldn't think much of it.  
They've been accustomed to just such hap-  
penings for many a day.In St. Louis it is different.  
The story reached the public through the  
complaint of J. W. Schrader of 1838 Madison  
street to Chief Swingley of the Fire De-  
partment. Schrader imagined that the only  
way to get a political position was to pay a politician to "pull" for him. This he  
did, with sad results to himself and to cer-  
tain other individuals, more or less mixed  
up in this petty political intrigue.Schrader had been telling all his friends  
around Madison street that he was sure of  
an appointment. He had things "fixed," he  
said. Last Monday, when Chief Swingley  
delivered the last batch of new men  
and Schrader's name was not among the  
bicycle riders, he awoke. He'd been howling  
ever since.Feeling that he had been thrown down,  
Schrader went to see Chief Swingley. He  
told the chief just why he had been jum-  
ped, and the chief, failing to his lot, and from his point of view he had good  
reason to expect it.His story was that about two weeks ago  
he gave F. H. Kriete Meyer, member of the  
House of Delegates from the Tenth Ward,  
\$50 to get him a job on the Fire Department.  
Kriete Meyer is said to have \$30, of which  
\$10 was to go to Chief Swingley, \$5 to the  
medical examiner, \$5 for wine supper for  
Chief Swingley and his friends, and \$10  
was to stick to Kriete Meyer's fingers for his  
services.The chief naturally opened his eyes. He  
was sure he had been misheard. The idea  
of anyone saying that money would make  
him put a man on his department made  
him blood boil and the champagne supper  
was forgotten in a moment.The chief told Schrader whatever chance  
he had to get a place had been ruined  
by his attempt at bribery. He then in the  
next place told Schrader to go to the top of the  
back, promising him a thorough investiga-  
tion.The chief disappeared before the  
chief. He had with him John W.  
Zeuschel, Kriete Meyer's partner in the  
real estate business at 1334 Franklin avenue.The chief had gotten his money back, not  
from Kriete Meyer but from Zeuschel. Why  
Zeuschel should take such interest in his  
partner's affairs is not known, but the  
House of Delegates man explains in his  
own way.The chief inwardness of this transaction  
is not to get at. One thing is certain  
and that is that Schrader gave up \$50 to  
either Kriete Meyer or Zeuschel. Zeuschel  
got his money back and was raised.Schrader refuses now to discuss the matter.  
He says he is not quite ready to talk,  
for fear of his chances of getting on the Fire  
Department are not very good, he says,  
he will put his charges in the form of an  
affidavit and stand by them.Zeuschel is also strangely silent. He was  
seen to be in the office of his former part-  
ner. Things to his mind are not yet  
ripe either, but he says he is going to write  
the newspapers a few days.He and his former partner, Kriete Meyer,  
are no longer friends. Zeuschel explains  
one of the reasons why the former came about  
over the payment of \$50."I have lived for twenty-seven years in St.  
Louis," he said, "as an honest man, and I  
don't want to be a part of this kind of business."When Delegates Kriete Meyer was seen, he  
braked the storm an absolute lie, so far  
as his connection with it is concerned."I told him the first inkling of this through  
my little boy," he said. "My son was in my  
office a day when he told me he had  
Zeuschel and a man named Hull, a friend of  
Schrader's, were there. The boy heard

the chief say that the son was going to give up a position. He told him

about this, but I said nothing.

Wednesday morning I told Schrader on  
the phone my name. He came to see me  
and he said he wanted the \$50 back he had  
given me to get him on the Fire Department.

I was asked if he wanted to go to the

"Did I ever ask you for a cent?" I de-  
manded of him.

"No," he admitted, "but I gave Zeuschel

\$50 to tell him to go to Zeuschel and settle  
his difficulties with him, that I had nothing  
to do with it. When I told him Zeuschel  
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## WILL THERE BE A CONFERENCE?

Effort to Bring About Harmony  
in the New State Committee.

### ALEX SHERWOOD'S MISSION.

He Was to Arrange a Meeting Between  
Auditor Seibert and Secretary Le-  
sieur and Maffitt and Francis.

At Jefferson City nearly all the well informed politicians contend that one of the most effective forces working for Democratic harmony is the influence and activity being exerted by State Auditor A. S. Seibert. "It would be possible, he is just 15 years old," Mr. Seibert's motives in this matter, but it is significant that everyone at the capital who comments upon the Auditor's conduct at present points to his great influence in bringing about the present occupancy of the office he now holds as the inspiring cause of his activity. Mr. Seibert is a shrewd politician, and his schemes are the cause of important defeat of the Democracy in Missouri in the next campaign unless the party gets together with all other forces to bring about a victory to the enemy. He has been watching the drift very closely since the Perle Springs convention, and is convinced of the over whelming influence of the party in all parts of the State for an early and aggressive campaign under the management of the enlarged and reinvigorated committee.

As before stated, Mr. Seibert had taken the initiative in forcing recognition of the new committee by the Auditor and his clerk, Mr. Alex. Sherwood, at St. Louis last Saturday to urge upon Chairman Maffitt the advisability of an early call of the convention. It is now given out that had Mr. Sherwood failed in his mission he would have been forced to resign from the Auditor Seibert and Secretary of State Lesieur with Chairman Maffitt, ex-Gov. Campbell and others of the recalcitrant for the proposed conference to determine the situation and to win the ex-Governor over to the cause of the harmonizers, when he would then be in a position to be convinced of the justice of their demands. This meeting was to be held not later than last Tuesday at some point in the neighborhood of Mound City, Mo., Chairman Maffitt, Mr. Sherwood's tragic death, of course, Mr. Seibert could all the more easily interfere with the conference, and the amounts only to a brief postponement and Messrs. Seibert and Lesieur are expected to visit St. Louis shortly and confer with the ex-Governor and the chairman.

The Cooper Pharmacy Co. Quietly Dis-  
perses, Leaving Several Creditors.

The Cooper Pharmacy Co., doing a whole sale business in pharmaceutical goods at 513 Main street, has closed its doors and gone. Several creditors, it is said, will notice the company's absence. Some of them are secured and others are said to be not so.

Among the creditors are the Moffett-West and Meyer Bros. drug companies. They are aggregating about \$2,000. There are said to be several smaller creditors.

Eugene Van Ness is the President, and in his absence the company has been in the hands of the departing concern.

He notified Dunn's agency that he would remove to New York and has, presumably, gone there to make his arrangements for business. For some time past collections have not been good, and, being pressed by creditors, Van Ness decided to remove to New York, leaving the debts unpaid.

His troubles began when he endorsed a note for John S. Richards, the lumber broker who left the city and his unpaid debts.

On Saturday Van Ness' home at Kirkwood was sold subject to a deed of trust for \$4,500, the difference between the amount received for the property and the deed of trust will increase Van Ness' indebtedness just that much. His desire to remove to New York has been the cause of his being convinced of the justice of their demands. This meeting was to be held not later than last Tuesday at some point in the neighborhood of Mound City, Mo., Chairman Maffitt, Mr. Sherwood's tragic death, of course, Mr. Seibert could all the more easily interfere with the conference, and the amounts only to a brief postponement and Messrs. Seibert and Lesieur are expected to visit St. Louis shortly and confer with the ex-Governor and the chairman.

One of Mr. Seibert's closest friends is a member of the platform that he is a candidate for nomination as Auditor for the year and not for Governor. The friend says that Mr. Seibert had never seriously contemplated running for Governor, and that he will be perfectly contented with a third nomination for the office which he now holds. The Auditor, declares this friend, is not in a position to make himself be convinced of the justice of their demands. This meeting was to be held not later than last Tuesday at some point in the neighborhood of Mound City, Mo., Chairman Maffitt, Mr. Sherwood's tragic death, of course, Mr. Seibert could all the more easily interfere with the conference, and the amounts only to a brief postponement and Messrs. Seibert and Lesieur are expected to visit St. Louis shortly and confer with the ex-Governor and the chairman.

### HAS GONE TO NEW YORK.

Eleventh and Morgan Streets Furnishes a Candidate.

William Richmond, colored, proprietor of the Annex saloon, 725 North Eleventh street, is the latest candidate for School Director.

His candidacy was endorsed by the Young Men's Colored Republican Club of the Fifteenth Ward at a meeting held Wednesday night. He is employed by the Young Men's Colored Club of the North, Channing Avenue, and is a member of the colored press, another term, and feels confident of his ability to secure the nomination despite the general agitation against third termism.

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It is a surprise to those who know only of his political environment and the circumstances of his last election to the State Committee and not to the members of the colored press, another term, and feels confident of his ability to secure the nomination despite the general agitation against third termism.

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We are told that the work of the Illinois convention did not represent the true sentiment of the Democratic party, and that the new ticket in the field was formed to meet the demands of the colored men.

He is a colored man, and his friends are the colored men, who have been elected to Congress, and Judge Chas. G. Burton, who last fall defeated Col. Morgan by a narrow margin, and the colored men of the colored party of Democracy, was nominated by the Republicans on a silver platform. Therefore, Col. Conner refused to be a part of the new ticket.

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Too Striking a Combination for Steady-Going Little Rock.

## ARRESTED BY THE POLICE.

She Will Contest Her Right to Wear the Popular Garb of the Wheelman.

Special to The Post-Dispatch.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., Aug. 23.—Mrs. Lydia Nee, the handsome widow who was arrested Wednesday afternoon for appearing on the streets attired in bloomers and riding a bicycle, was unable to appear in the Police Court this morning. She pleaded illness as an excuse, but promised to be in court this afternoon, sick or well.

Mrs. Nee is a fascinating little brunet and occupies elegantly furnished apartment building on Markham in the central portion of the business center of the city. Four years ago she was the wife of a popular railroad man, but for some reason he applied to the courts for a divorce, which was readily granted.

She has been riding a bicycle for the past two weeks, appearing on Scott street, which is paved with vitrified brick, and which is a favorite thoroughfare for riders of the wheel. On Wednesday she rode up and down Main street, stopping at the various dry goods stores along the route, which caused as much comment that the police concluded to arrest her. She was taken to the police station, followed by a crowd of not less than 200 persons. Here she deposited \$10 as a forfeit for her appearance in court and was released. She immediately left the station, mounted her wheel and rode up Scott street without being further molested.

"She says she has just as much right to ride a wheel and wear bloomers as anybody else in the country," said Mrs. Nee. "I wears bloomers because such a dress protects her from the vulgar gaze of men, which is not the case with those who appear upon the streets in skirts."

She intends to fight the case with the view of testing the validity of the ordinance upon which the action of the police was based. She will ride along Markham street in front of the Police Court in the conventional garments of her sex, and then give an exhibition of bicycling, riding and wheeling and let any jury that may be selected by the court decide which is the more appropriate costume for a woman.

If the court will accept the proposition Mrs. Nee believes she will obtain a victory for the bloomers, and that every lady in Little Rock who rides a bicycle will adopt the same.

## DASHMAN ARRESTED.

He Refused to Produce Little Oliver Roy Miller in Court.

Little Oliver Roy Miller was not produced in court Thursday morning in response to the writ of habeas corpus directed to Geo. Dashman and Edna Foster, alias Miller. Judge Dillon promptly issued a contempt order for the defendants and a deputy sheriff was sent to the courtroom to bring them in. Other deputies went in search of Edna Miller, the child's mother.

The writ of habeas corpus was issued 24 hours ago in the name of John M. Coulson, the child's great-grandfather. He alleged that Dashman and Edna Miller had the child in their possession and that they were unfit parents to have care of the child. But Sheriff's John Becker and George Andrew great difficulty in serving the writ. After a long search they found an old statute and posted a copy of the habeas corpus order on the door of the house and the child was found and sufficient service for the writ was not obtained.

At 2 o'clock Judge Dillon called up the case again.

**Country Boys in Hard Luck.**

Charles Willis and Charles Noley came to St. Louis from St. Genevieve to have a good time. Now they are in jail. Early Friday morning they sought their good time in a room at the Pacific passenger train. They complained to Officer Flanagan that they had been robbed of \$4 in the house, but couldn't prove it. And Inez Gray, the waitress with whom they had dinner, said the theft of a \$5 revolver. A warrant was issued.

The Burlington Route is the shortest, quietest and only line running through trains to St. Paul and Minneapolis. Low rates to all the Northern Lake resorts. Dining Cars. Ticket office, 218 N. Broadway.

**Sanitary Company's Nuisance Case.**

In the nuisance case against the St. Louis Sanitary Co., taken to St. Charles, Mo., on change of venue, Judge Hughes overruled a motion to dismiss Thursday. Certain errors in the original complaint were alleged. The case was set for trial Sept. 7.

**Reception to Mrs. Thomas Fletcher.**

Mrs. Thomas Fletcher, wife of ex-Gov. Fletcher, was entertained yesterday by Central W. C. T. U. at the Lindell Hotel, St. Louis, on Thursday.

**Umbrellas, Mackintosh and rubber coats at cost for cash at Humphreys' until Sept. 1.**

**Goose Tent Services.**

There will be gospel tent service at Twenty-first and Bremen, commencing Sunday evening, and every evening at 8 o'clock, conducted by Elder M. H. Bond and other speakers.

**Cheap Home Seekers' Excursions.**

On Aug. 23, Sept. 10 and 24 the Burlington Route will sell round trip tickets at very low rates to points in Nebraska, Kansas, Colorado, Utah, the Dakotas, Wyoming, Black Hills and other Western points. For particulars call at city office, No. 111 North Broadway.

**Fred Foster's Effort.**

Fred Foster, owner of Dr. Rice, winner of the Brooklyn handicap, will play the "Derby Winner" in the Grand-to-night. Fred's songs of the turf are famous, and he will sing them to-night simply to help his "Derby Winner" friends along.

**Office Haines Dead.**

Officer Charles Haines of the Mounted District died at his home, 1716 North Sarah Street, Thursday night, after a long illness. Officer Haines was 45 years old. He joined the police force, Sept. 8, 1884, and has served in the Third, Fifth and Mounted Districts. Deceased leaves a wife and three small children.

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**THE COLORED COVER.**

The great Colored Supplement will be resumed in next Sunday's Post-Dispatch, and it will be one of the best and brightest ever offered to Post-Dispatch readers. A full page cartoon on its front page will picture the many and remarkable varieties of Presidential birds now buzzing around the Presidential beehive, all ready for the grand "swarm" of '96. So comprehensive is this latest political colony that even the "New Woman Bee" is there, and, like the New Woman in general, she appears on the top of the heap.

Other brilliantly colored comic cuts show how to avoid the "bicycle bump," the seaside outing of a juvenile political club; a policeman's panic, etc., and numerous other comic cuts, original and selected, brighten the pages, while the reading matter is of the best quality of fun and humor.

It will be a star supplement, and the many thousand admirers of this special feature will rejoice to learn that under greatly improved conditions the Colored Supplement will from now on continue to be a brilliant section of the Sunday Post-Dispatch.

**DID BRICE WIN?**

Senator Brice was chairman of the State Convention which assembled at Springfield on Tuesday. The reporters present failed to record whether or not he winked his left eye and smiled sardonically when the following passages in the platform adopted were read:

We congratulate President Cleveland that his efforts in favor of the repeal of vicious laws and the upholding of the credit of the country have been successful.

We congratulate our Senator, Calvin S. Brice, for the earnest and effective support he has given to the President in these matters.

One of the "vicious laws" which President Cleveland made more or less strenuous to repeal was the McKinley law, and it is well-known that Mr. Brice did far more than any avowedly Republican Senator to thwart and defeat those efforts. President Cleveland was so incensed at the time that he wrote a letter in which he referred to Brice and his fellow-buccaneers in the Senate as men "whose treason, like a deadly blight, steals o'er the counsels of the brave and blasts them in their hour of might." Not content with this, the President wrote a letter to Chairman Wilson of the House Ways and Means Committee, encouraging him to continue the fight against Brice and the other traitorous Democrats in the Senate.

No doubt these things were in Senator Brice's mind when he was dictating the platform and also when he was praising Mr. Cleveland in his speech as temporary chairman. In thus linking himself and Mr. Cleveland and identifying himself with the Administration fight in Ohio, Mr. Brice demonstrates that he has as brassy a cheek as he has been credited with.

How Mr. Cleveland feels about it has not yet been disclosed. If he possesses a sense of humor, the whole performance must have afforded him a good laugh.

**AN ERA OF PROSPERITY.**

The seventh annual report of the Interstate Commerce Commission for the year ending June, 1894, shows that the railroads were still in June, 1894, suffering from the great depression caused by the panic of 1893. The eighth annual report will doubtless have a different tale to tell. A special report recently issued by Bradstreet's shows that the railroads have entered upon an era of prosperity, which is an unerring sign that there has been a widespread revival of business and that we need no fears for the immediate future.

The first six months of 1894 were even worse for the railroads than the corresponding period of 1893. The net earnings of 145 railroads in the first six months of 1894 showed a decrease as compared with the same period in 1893 of over 18 per cent. For the same six months this year these railroads aggregate net earnings of \$100,750, being a gain of 8 per cent over last year.

Of the 145 railroads included in the report, composed of 128 of the principal railroad systems, two-thirds show gains, not only in gross, but in net earnings, over

a year ago, while one-third show decreases.

This report, covering 128 railroad systems, may be taken as fairly indicative of the general condition of railroad business in the United States. It is true there are in existence nearly 2,000 railway corporations, but the majority are small, 44 roads operating more than 50 per cent of the total mileage of the country.

With the splendid harvest that will soon swell the receipts of the railroads, we may look for a continuation of prosperity in that industry, and probably a resumption of railroad building in the near future.

**LIKE FATHER, LIKE SON.**

Gen. Jo O. Shelby is reported to be indignant because his son, Orville D. Shelby, is engaged in organizing a filibustering expedition that will go to Cuba and join the insurgents and fight for Cuban independence.

At least that is what the newspapers say. Gen. Shelby is the United States Marshal for the Western District of Missouri, and in view of the proclamation recently issued by Secretary of State Olney it behoves him to be indignant.

But the General cannot be very mad when he recalls his own exciting career and the history of others who have made reputations similar to his own. He will remember that the Government of the United States would never have had the able and distinguished services of Lafayette if the young Frenchman had been hated over the laws of nations. He should remember that Mexico would not be in the advanced state of civilization it now occupies if one Gen. Jo O. Shelby had hesitated about crossing the Rio Grande and offering the services of himself and his men to a good cause. He may also readily recall how Gen. Walker and his little band of Westerners achieved glory and death despite the intervention of Presidents and Secretaries of State.

The Post-Dispatch can understand why Gen. Shelby's fatherly apprehensions and misgivings and his duty as a Federal Marshal may call down upon his son all the invectives and warnings in the catalogue of indignant fathers, but at the same moment the Post-Dispatch believes that behind his lurid language lies the tingling nerves and quivering muscles that an old man experiences when he becomes conscious of the fact that his own dare-devil and filibustering career is over.

**AN OVERWORKED LIBRARIAN.**

The venerable and venerated Spofford, Librarian of Congress, has been accused of a shortage of \$22,000 in his account, and has tendered the Government the amount in full. This he can easily pay, since he is estimated to be worth more than \$100,000 in cash.

But the literary world has received a shock at Mr. Spofford's downfall from which it will be slow to recover. Having for a lifetime supervised and tended one of the greatest libraries in the world, he was easily reckoned one of the greatest librarians. It now develops, however, that Mr. Spofford's reputation was due to his marvelous memory. He carried in his head the titles and whereabouts of the million or more books under his control, and nobody in the library was permitted to know anything beyond that. The card and catalogue system in use in every civilized country of the world was quietly ignored, and if Mr. Spofford failed to remember—which he seldom did—the applicant did not receive the book for which he had called.

Of course, there had to be an ending to this. It could not go on forever, because eventually Librarian Spofford's memory must fail him, and then the great library over which he has presided would become little more than a heap of rubbish.

Mr. Spofford says that his shortage is due to the fact that he was overworked. Everybody familiar with the facts can readily admit this to be true. A man who undertakes to carry a million or more books in his head is liable to be overworked; but this very admission convicts Mr. Spofford of poor business ability and makes of him a very inadequate librarian.

**DISEASED MILK AND MEAT.**

The report of Dr. James to Health Commissioner Starkloff shows a very careless condition of affairs in connection with the dairy cows of North St. Louis. Since Wednesday of last week there have been twenty-three deaths from fever, seventeen of them occurring in a single dairy. In the meantime it is impossible to guess how much disease-infected milk has been distributed over the city and fed to children, and how far it has led to the usual summer "slaugher of the innocents."

The truth is that the metropolitan city of St. Louis is woefully in need of some legal system of dairy inspection. Efforts in this direction have frequently been made, but something has always happened to prevent success. There have been dairy inspectors before now, but when an appropriation for their pay failed to pass the Municipal Assembly they ceased to inspect. Once we had a chemist detailed to analyze milk, but as he could not get money for his work he naturally quit work. As a result the vast dairy system of St. Louis, upon which the health and lives of thousands of persons daily depend, is a go-as-you-please, and everybody is his own ignoramus.

Is it not time to begin a reformation of the dairies? Is there not enough spare income to the city to provide for a system of inspection that will insure pure milk, healthy cows and decent treatment of the animals from which the milk is obtained? This is one of the most important subjects which the people can have to discuss, because it belongs to every home in St. Louis, and they cannot discuss it too vigorously. The idea of railroad companies being allowed to haul their cattle cars on the commons of North St. Louis, where they know the dairy cows feed, is bad enough for a villain. It is criminal in a great city.

Dr. James says this is how fever has been injected into the local dairies and he is unquestionably right, but why are these dangerous acts permitted?

Sanitary Officer Francis says that Illinois has a perfect stock inspection law,

while that of Missouri is a lamentable failure. It is evident that Mr. Francis is correct. We have a small army of meat inspectors, and yet every day certain butchers receive and sell the meat of

cattle which have been condemned in Illinois, commonly known as "down estate," or stock trampled upon, bruised and injured while in transit to the National Stock Yards. Lots of money is spent in meat inspection, with unsatisfactory results, because our laws are carelessly drawn. There is even greater need for dairy inspection, which can be accomplished with much less cost and more certain success. But both are deserving of attention, and if we had legislators who would apply their minds to it there is no reason why both meat and dairy inspection should not be made eminently successful.

Mr. Lease is prophesying freely. Says Mary Elizabeth: "Benjamin Harrison will be the Republican presidential candidate. Reed cannot be nominated. He is from Maine, where Blaine was the popular idol. McKinley has only one idea, and that is protection of the most ultra sort. He is not even a possibility. Harrison gave the country what the gold forces term a 'safe administration,' and he will be selected as the standard bearer on a goldbase platform." Mrs. Lease has no reputation as a seer, but Mr. Harrison did well to brush up his ancestors' hat and be ready for any emergency.

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Large consignment of wheat in New York this morning  
was the Northwest and most of it was foreign.

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**HIS LIFE COST \$225 A DAY.**

**What a Wealthy Hermit Paid to Pro-  
long His Existence.**

**OAKLAND, C.** Aug. 22.—A peculiar will contest, which promised to reveal the mysterious life of Morris Goldberg, a capitalist who led a hermit life in the hills of East Oakland, has been abandoned. Goldberg became afflicted with a throat disease a year ago, and, as he could not swallow anything, was threatened with death by starvation. As his condition became more serious, the old man's desire to live became less intense, and he paid his physicians \$225 a day for every day they should keep him alive. A tube was inserted in Goldberg's stomach, through which the physician forced, and by the means he was kept alive for forty days, incurring doctors' bills of \$2,000. When his will was filed for probate, it was found to be in value at \$200,000 and was disposed of by Miss Gute Simes, a niece of Philadelphia, filed a protest. Mrs. Simes has at last agreed to compromise the case for \$6,000 and will return to Philadelphia in the fall.

**GEORGE LAW'S TROUBLES.**

**The Jolly Millionaire Sued for Breach of  
Promise.**

**Special to The Post-Dispatch.**  
NEW YORK, Aug. 22.—Multi-Millionaire George Law is in trouble again, being sued for breach of promise by Miss Josephine Mack, who claims \$150,000 damages. Her lawyer, Mr. Edward C. Chase, filed a suit in the Supreme Court, and the papers were filed a few hours ago. The case will be heard on Sept. 1.

**MILLIONAIRE'S BARELY PAST 20 YEARS.** Law is less than 30, portly and jolly. He married in September of last year Miss Alga Smith, to whom he had been introduced by Miss Mack.

**ATLANTA EXPOSITION.**  
Mr. Cleveland Will Touch the Button  
Setting the Wheels in Motion.

**ATLANTA, Ga.** Aug. 22.—It has been arranged that President Cleveland will touch the button at Gray Gables on Sept. 18, and set in motion the machinery and unfurl the flags of the Cotton States International Exposition buildings. The principal address of the opening day will be delivered by an orator of national reputation, whose name is not yet made public. The Board of Directors has directed the Committee on Ceremonial to issue an invitation to Booker T. Washington, President of the Tuskegee Agricultural and Industrial Institute, to take part in the exercises of the opening day and to deliver an address on that occasion, thus recognizing the negro race in the official programme.

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cut and make, and will please the fash-  
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**MILLS & AVERILL,**  
Broadway and Pine.

**Became Insane on a Train.**

**ROCHESTER, N. Y.** Aug. 22.—A man giv-  
ing the name of Henry Englehardt of Chi-  
cago, who had been in New York for nearly  
30 years old, was taken in custody by the  
conductor of a West Shore train, shortly  
after leaving Buffalo, and turned over to the  
police here. While sitting in his seat he  
suddenly threw his pocketbook and satchel  
through a car window and grabbed the  
satchel of several other passengers and  
threw them in a like manner.

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## WOUNDED CUBANS PUT TO DEATH.

Chopped to Pieces With Swords  
by Spanish Soldiers.

## "NO QUARTER" IS THE CRY.

Atrocities Committed Worse Than  
Those Charged Against the  
Kurds in Armenia.

**KEY WEST, Fla.** Aug. 22.—Reliable ad-  
-vices from Cuba indicate that the Spaniards  
in their efforts to suppress the rebellion are  
perpetrating atrocities as horrible as those  
attributed to the Kurds in Armenia. A few  
days ago Capt. Garrido, a Spaniard, oper-  
ating with a company of 200 men in the prov-  
ince of Santiago de Cuba, discovered a hos-  
pital where nearly 100 wounded insurgents  
had been refuge.

Garrido ordered the helpless men put to  
death in the most cruel manner. He refused  
to allow them to be shot, but made his sol-  
-diers chop up the victims with swords.

The wounded insurgents were literally dis-  
-membered by the Spanish butchers, and  
-atrocities were committed with the execution  
of Capt. Domingo Magrìa at Matanzas, July  
20, has greatly inflamed the people against  
the Spaniards as many prominent Cuban  
-rebels, hitherto loyal to Spain are now joining the  
insurgents.

The insurgents leaders, it is said, have re-  
-solved to kill all Spaniards who enter their  
-territory, and will put to death all Spanish prisoners and  
order that no prisoners be taken hereafter.

Insurgents think the execution of Magrìa  
-indicates the beginning of a "no quarter" campaign.  
Magrìa was captured about  
three miles north of Jovellanos and was  
shot as a traitor to Spain. He was about 30  
years of age, and one of the best  
families in Matanzas.

A private dispatch received here states that  
Magrìa died like a hero, shouting  
"Viva Cuba Libre," as the Spanish soldier  
shot him.

The insurgents are now in posses-  
sion of the island of Cuba lying between  
Colon and Cape May.

Martinez Campos apparently realizes the  
hopelessness of the situation, for in an in-  
-terview with a reporter he said that he feared Cuba was lost.

Campos said he did not have the money  
necessary to carry on the war and that his  
troops were poorly fed and completely de-  
moralized.

The town of Santa Clara is almost  
completely deserted. Every able-bodied man  
has left and joined the insurgents under  
Roloff and Sanchez.

Business throughout the city of Havana  
is dead. There is but little tobacco in the  
market, and the prices charged are exorbitant.

## STRENGTHENING THEIR FORCES.

Both Sides Preparing for a Decisive  
Movement in Cuba.

**Special Correspondence of the Post-Dispatch.**

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**HAVANA, Cuba, Aug. 17.**—The Spanish  
have discontinued their attacks and appear  
to be gathering together and caring for their  
shattered forces. Meantime the Cubans are  
devoting their attention to recruiting,  
for they do seem nervous over the coming of  
20,000 additional troops from Spain this  
month.

Cities like Holguin, Remedios, Santa Clara, Trin-  
idad, and Santiago are now held  
chiefly by Spanish troops and women. The  
Cubans have joined the insurgents to fight  
for liberty.

General Roloff, with his dynamite, is  
blowing up railroad bridges, tracks, stations,  
water supplies, and has threatened all  
tactical points that he can find. His naval  
tactics have given the insurrection great  
momentum. Threatening destruction where-  
ever he goes, he obliges all to join him.

## TO REMOVE RECEIVERS.

**Ives' Application in the Northern Pa-  
cific Case Argued.**

**SEATTLE, Wash.** Aug. 22.—Heating on  
the application brought by Ives for the  
removal of the receivers of the Northern  
Pacific began to-day before United States  
Judges Hanford and Gilbert. Argument  
was confined mostly to the question of the  
jurisdiction of Judge Jenkins.

## A Wonderful Sight.

It's a wonderful sight to see a great rush  
for overcoats in August, but it's not strange  
when you know that by buying a fall and  
winter overcoat or an ulster, now you save  
the retailer's profit. A visit to Humphreys' is  
profitable.

## CASUALTY NOTES.

**MONTREAL, Aug. 22.**—The steamer Tar-  
-reno, from Kingston for Montreal with  
several commanders of Knights Templars  
on board, struck a reef at the foot of Cas-  
-cade Rapids and sank. All aboard were  
safe.

**GALVESTON, Tex.** Aug. 22.—Robert M.  
Hutchinson, son of E. B. Hutchinson of the  
Galveston, a 600-ton brick house boat, was  
recently shot and killed himself with a  
revolver which he was cleaning.

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